

Friday Notes



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF THE MARIST PROVINCE OF THE U.S.A.

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August 17, 2018

News of the Province

- Welcome Mr. Joseph Jean Pierre Louis, a Lay Marist and Principal of one of the Marist Brother Schools in Jeremie, Haiti. Mr. Pierre Louis currently lives with the Marist Community in Jeremie, Haiti, and he is hoping to matriculate at Seton Hall University for further educational studies while staying with family in Orange, NJ.
- Brothers Manuir (Puerto Alegre, Brazil) and Carlos Andres (Colombia) continue their English classes in Manhattan and will continue throughout August. The Brothers are residing at the Provincial Center in Forest Hills.
- Welcome to visiting Brother Robert Thunus from the Belgium-Province of West-Central Europe! Robert has been in Montreal studying and will now visit the Novitiate Community in Poughkeepsie and our communities in the Bronx and Forest Hills.
- Matt Fallon, Opal Vadhan, and Johnny Rivera will be in Guatemala from Sunday until Friday. They will be representing the USA Province at a gathering of the Champagnat Movement of

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Friday, August 17th
Br. Richard Van Houten

Sunday, August 19th
Br. Chris Shannon

Thursday, August 23rd

the Marist Family from from the Provinces of Arco Norte.

- The Brothers of Miami had a festive celebration for the Feast of the Assumption on Wednesday.



Br. John Klein

Friday, August 24th

Br. Steve Synan



MBCE Update

Special Kids II
Camp finishes tomorrow.

Young Adult Camp will
begin on Sunday.

HELP NEEDED

FRIENDS IN SOLIDARITY:

Can you help our Church members and be a USA Partner in Solidarity with South Sudan? There are two Marist Brothers running a school right now --

Can you help them?

Or, there are needs for Lay Marists or Brothers with experience and skills in the areas of: administration, fundraising, nursing, teacher trainers, bookkeepers, drivers, pastoral care, and trauma healing.

Check out: www.solidarityfriends.org

or Call Sister Joan, IHM: (734) 731-3726

or email her at:

joanmumaw@solidarityfriends.org

Upcoming Events:

4th Annual Courtyard
Art Exhibit at
Champagnat Hall
Sunday, August 26th
2:00pm - 4:00pm

Esopus Board Meeting
Friday, September 7th -
Sunday, September 9th

Intercultural Gathering of
Religious

MADAGASCAR is MORE THAN A MOVIE!

Br. Michael, Marist Brothers Provincial of Madagascar, recently wrote to our Province for personnel or financial help for the Marist schools and Marist communities in Madagascar. For any serious interest in helping, please contact Br. Patrick at the USA Provincial Office.

Please feel free to submit OTHER needs for USA Marists of Champagnat to consider and to respond.



Check out the "Got Marist?" Shirt Flash Store! Our brand new Heather Red shirt is in for this year and our Blue Shirts have been added in Long Sleeve. The online store has a limited time frame and will close on August 26th. All shirts will be shipped by Sept 10th directly to you!

The proceeds will support the Marist Young Adults Mission Trips and Service Projects like this year's Blue Missions Trip to the Dominican Republic and Global Outreach to Merida, Mexico.

September 15th

4th Annual
Brothers/Sisters
Night at
St. John's University.
Sunday, September 16,
2018 5:30 Student Mass

Marist College Day of
Service
Saturday, September 22nd

LaValla Weekend Retreat
Friday, October 5th -
Monday, October 8th

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Once again, Br. Gerard Cormier has organized an outdoor art exhibition to be held on Sunday, August 26 in the garth at Champagnat Hall. Br. Gerard will be

SHOP NOW!

Let's Not Forget Those in Need...

- For all children, young people, and vulnerable adults who have suffered abuse or mistreatment, especially within the Catholic family in Pennsylvania, and throughout the Church and Marist world. Let us commit ourselves to work even more forcefully for the protection of children, young people, and vulnerable in our care and ministries.
- For our Brothers and Marists of Champagnat in our Marist schools in Venezuela as they endure greater deprivation due to the civil crisis in the country.
- Br. Joseph Maura, who has recently been hospitalized in Bronxville, NY.
- Br. Norbert Rodrigues, who is recovering from surgery at home in Miami, FL.
- Br. Hugh Turley, who is continuing physical therapy at Holy Family Villa in the Chicago area.
- Br. Gerald Doherty, for his special intention.
- Mr. Anthony Muranelli, undergoing continued chemotherapy, at Hudson Valley Hospital
- For all our senior brothers, other Marists of Champagnat, family members and friends who are ill, that the Lord will bring healing, and our Good Mother will bring comfort to them.
- For all of our Brothers throughout the world, our affiliates, our family members, and benefactors.



- Sra. Julia Marticorena Bustince, 97, the mother of Brother Javier Espinosa who passed away in Tafalla (Navarra, España).

exhibiting over 50 acrylic/watercolor paintings, most of which were painted after his 90th birthday. Brothers Ken Hogan, Steven Kappes, and Jim Norton will be displaying a select collection of their photographs.

This year's exhibition also will include a Paint Nite activity!

[Read More Here!](#)

THIS JUST IN!

We have received from Br. Brendan Geary, Provincial, a very limited number of copies this book, translated to English:

Marcellin Champagnat, A Portrait Based On His Letters

Written By Brother Augustine Hendimeier, FMS, from the Marist Brothers Province of West-Central Europe.

If you would like a copy please contact Br. Al Rivera at the Provincial Office ASAP!

